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APPLICANT(S): Durkin *et al.*
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TITLE: METHOD OF TREATING DISORDERS ASSOCIATED WITH
SEBACEOUS FOLLICLES

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.114**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action for the above-identified patent application, made final, mailed from the Office on April 21, 2003, please extend the date for response by three months up to and including October 21, 2003. Applicants enclose with this paper, a Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114, a petition for the three-month extension of time, and a check to cover the Request and the petition. In addition, Applicants enclose a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, a PTO-1449 form, and copies of the art listed thereon for consideration in this application.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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